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## The State Senate

Atlanta, Georgia 30334

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### TO: Senate Education and Youth Committee Members

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Senator Sheila McNeill, 3<sup>rd</sup>  
Senator Elena Parent, 42<sup>nd</sup>

**From: Chairman, Senator Chuck Payne, 54<sup>th</sup>**

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**DATE:** Monday, March 21<sup>st</sup>, 2022  
**TIME:** 3:00 p.m.  
**LOCATION:** CLOB 307

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### AGENDA:

- **HB 1292 (Rep. Jasperse, 11<sup>th</sup>)** “To prohibit students who participate in 4-H sponsored activities or programs from being counted as absent from school, subject to certain conditions”
- **HB 1295 (Rep. Corbett, 174<sup>th</sup>)** “To remove the needs development rating from the group of performance evaluation ratings which may adversely impact an educator’s ability to obtain a renewable certificate from the Georgia Professional Standards Commission”
- **HB 1357 (Rep. Smith, 18<sup>th</sup>)** “To provide that the commission’s standards and procedures for certification programs shall be neutral with respect to whether such programs are provided by for profit or not for profit entities and shall consider accredited teacher programs outside this state”

**Agenda is subject to change at the discretion of the Chairman.**

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cc: Geoff Duncan, Lt. Governor  
David Cook, Secretary of the Senate  
Senator Butch Miller, President Pro Tempore  
Senator Mike Dugan, Majority Leader  
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